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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Dear Sir:

This communication responds to the Office Action mailed on April 6, 2007. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the rejection in view of the following remarks.